



# INDIANA STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

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Options Charter School - Carmel, ) Cause No.: SBOE-0920-000945  
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Petitioner, )  
)  
v. )  
)  
State Board of Education, )  
)  
Respondent. )  
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### FINAL ORDER

On March 15, 2021, Hon. Chelsea E. Smith, the Administrative Law Judge (“ALJ”) assigned to this matter, issued her Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Recommended Order (“Recommended Order”). The Parties had opportunity to object to the Recommended Order; no objections were filed. Having reviewed issues related to the Recommended Order, and after consideration of the Recommended Order,

### **THE BOARD HEREBY ORDERS:**

1. The findings of fact and conclusions of law as stated in paragraphs 1 – 4 of the Recommended Order are incorporated by reference. IC 4-21.5-3-28.
2. The Recommended Order is AFFIRMED under IC 4-21.5-3-29 and hereby becomes the Final Order disposing of the proceedings. IC 4-21.5-3-27(a).
3. Pursuant to IC 20-31-8-6, the Indiana Department of Education (“Department”) shall (1) change the category or designation in the Department’s records to “null”; (2) notify the school of the change; and (3) disseminate information concerning the change in the school’s placement in the same manner as information concerning the school’s original placement was disseminated.



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**SO ORDERED** by the Board on April 14, 2021

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Dr. Katie Jenner  
Chair – Indiana State Board of Education



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